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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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Inventor:

Fritz Kirchhofer

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Cannula/Needle Combination for Subcutaneous

Examiner:

M. Hayes

Administration of an Active Substance

Group Art Unit:

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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF PERIOD FOR RESPONSE

Mail Stop RCE Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450 I hereby certify that this document is being sent via First Class U.S. mail addressed to: Mail Stop RCE Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450, on this 30 day of 2005.

Dear Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), Applicant hereby petitions for an extension of one month from June 10, 2005 to July 10, 2005 within which to respond to the Final Rejection dated March 10, 2005. A check in the amount of \$120.00 is enclosed herewith to cover the extension fee.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any deficiencies or credit any overpayments to Deposit Account No. 04-1420.

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Respectfully submitted,

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